### ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### PUBLIC NOTICE

### REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

**FOR** 

## PUBLIC-PRIVATE-PARTNERSHIP (P3) DESIGN-BUILD CONTRACT

**FOR** 

# 010 MA 149 F007201C PHOENIX-CASA GRANDE HIGHWAY (I-10) 1-17 (SPLIT) TO SR 202L (SANTAN)

The Arizona Department of Transportation ("ADOT") invites Statements of Qualifications ("SOQs") from entities ("Respondents") wishing to submit proposals to design and construct the I-10 Broadway Curve, I-17 (Split) to SR 202L (Santan) project (the "Project") through a contract for Design-Build services. ADOT is issuing this Request for Qualifications ("RFQ") pursuant to its authority under Arizona Revised Statutes ("ARS"), Title 28, Chapter 22, Article 1 (ARS §§ 28-7701 to 28-7711) relating to Public-Private Partnerships ("P3"). ADOT plans to request proposals from a shortlist of firms to perform Design-Build services. The shortlist will consist of the Respondents determined by ADOT to be the most qualified to perform the Design-Build services for the Project, based on the SOQs provided in response to this RFQ.

Respondents are advised that, if awarded the Contract for this Project, the firms and personnel providing professional services shall have, at the time of Contract execution, the appropriate licenses in compliance with ARS, Title 32, Chapter 1 - Architects, Assayers, Engineers, Geologists, Landscape Architects, and Land Surveyors; and ARS, Title 32, Chapter 10 - Contractors. It is the Respondent's responsibility to verify that all firms and personnel engaged on the Project either have or can obtain the appropriate Arizona Licenses and/or Registrations, and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise ("DBE") Certification if applicable, by the time of Contract execution.

Licensing information is available from:

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All format requirements, submittal guidelines, instructions, and documentation submission requirements in this RFQ package are for the ADOT Project and Project Number referenced. Submittals failing to follow the format, submittal guidelines, or any other instructions set forth in this RFQ package may be rejected. Furthermore, ADOT reserves the right to reject any and all submittals and cancel the advertisement, procurement, or negotiation of a contract at any time ADOT deems to be in the best interest of the State.

SOQs must be submitted to ADOT no later than 2:00 pm (Mountain Standard Time) on July 2, 2019. SOQs must comply with the page limitation stated in Appendix B, subject to certain exceptions and separate page limits for particular items specifically stated in the RFQ. See the attached RFQ package for further details regarding submission of SOQs.

SOQs delivered in person, courier or by mail using the U.S. Postal Service shall be submitted to the following:

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Santan Field Office 7130 West Fairview Street Chandler, AZ 85226 Attention: Jedidiah Young, Procurement Manager

SOQs and amendments to the SOQs received after the date and time specified above or as adjusted will be returned to the Respondent unopened. Faxed or electronically submitted SOQs will not be accepted.

All Respondents can obtain the full content of this Request for Qualifications, Attachments, Appendices, and all Addenda at ADOT's website: http://www.azdot.gov/business/ContractsandSpecifications/AdvertisedAlternativeDeliveryProjects.

The RFQ contains specific protocols relating to discussion and other communications regarding this RFQ. Any violation of these provisions may result in immediate disqualification of a Respondent's SOQ.

Respondents must deliver written notification to ADOT of any apparent major inconsistencies, problems, or ambiguities in the RFQ in accordance with instructions in <u>Section 3.4. Such requests for</u> clarification must be received by the deadline for Respondent questions stated in Section 3.3.

ADOT is committed to the principles of Equal Employment Opportunity. To ensure dissemination of the Equal Employment Opportunity program throughout all levels of ADOT, the ADOT Civil Rights Deputy Administrator serves as the Equal Employment Opportunity Administrator for ADOT.

ADOT shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the award and performance of any United States Department of Transportation ("USDOT")-assisted contract or in the administration of 49 CFR Part 26. For Federal-aid contracts, projects are subject to USDOT Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Design-Build provisions set forth under Title 49 CFR Part 26 and subsequent publication of the Federal Register dated June 16, 2003 (Volume 68, Number 115). Respondents shall take necessary and reasonable steps to ensure that businesses owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals are provided with a fair opportunity to participate in this Project.

Respondents shall comply with all applicable State Executive Orders, including but not limited to, State Executive Order No. 2009-9 and all other applicable laws concerning non-discrimination, including but not limited to the Americans with Disabilities Act. Further, Respondents shall comply with all applicable federal Executive Orders, including but not limited to EO 11246 and all subsequent amendments thereto.